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Examiner Ebrahimi-Dehkordy,

Pursuant to our conversation a short time ago, I propose the following changes to be entered by Examiner's amendment so as to place the present case in condition for allowance. You will note that claims 21, 25, 31-35, 37 and 38 are proposed to be cancelled. Claim 20 (and its dependant claims 21and 26-28) and claim 36 are amended in accordance with our discussion. Claim 36 now closely resembles claim 1. Claim 20 now incorporates the subject matter of claim 25, and includes subject matter similar to claim 1. If you have any questions, please let me know.

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